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Transmitted herewith is a Preliminary Amendment in the above-identified patent application.

- [X] Preliminary Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.115 (4 pages).
- [X] Information Disclosure Statement Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 (2 pages).
- [X] Form PTO/SB/08 (1 page) listing one (1) reference.
- [X] The fee required for additional claims is calculated below:

	Claims				Extra				
	As	F	Previously		Claims				Additional
	Amended		Paid For		Present	_	Rate		Claims Fee
Total Claims:	6	-	20	=	0	x	\$50.00	=	\$0.00
Independent Claims:	6	-	5	=	1	x	\$200.00	=	\$200.00
First p	resentation (of any	Multiple	Depend	ent Claims:	+	\$360.00	=	\$0.00
					CLAIMS	FEE	TOTAL	= -	\$200.00

[]	Applicants hereby petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)
		for the total number of months checked below:

\$0.00	\$120.00	Extension for response filed within the first month:	[
\$0.00	\$450.00	Extension for response filed within the second month:	[
\$0.00	\$1,020.00	Extension for response filed within the third month:	[
\$0.00	\$1,590.00	Extension for response filed within the fourth month:	[
\$0.00	\$2,160.00	Extension for response filed within the fifth month:	[
\$0.00	EXTENSION FEE TOTAL:		
\$0.00	\$130.00	Statutory Disclaimer Fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.20(d):	[
\$200.00	CLAIMS, EXTENSION AND DISCLAIMER FEE TOTAL:		
\$0.00	ract ½ of above):	[] Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract ½ of above):	
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- [X] A check in the amount of \$200.00 is enclosed.
- [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1447. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 06-1447. If any extensions of time are needed for timely acceptance of papers submitted herewith, applicants hereby petition for such extension under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 and authorizes payment of any such extensions fees to Deposit Account No. 06-1447.

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